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I am very much in favor of completing the Microsoft settlement. I am an Apple computer user and Apple has been injured in the past--but that has been settled and both have moved on. Sun, Oracle, and AOL need to move on--create some value for their customers. Poor AOL with 30 million subscribers!!

Meanwhile Microsoft continues to bring useful affordable software to market despite all of the sideshow.

Our economy is struggling, we have apparent outlaws running an energy company in Texas and and an auditing profession in serious need of repair and reform. Seems like the Microsoft situation pales in comparison. They make good products, they take care of their employees and sponsor philanthropic endeavors around the world. Maybe just not enough in Washington DC!

Seems like the DOJ needs to re-focus--and perhaps help the courts to do the same.

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